

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.	:	10/568660	Confirmation No.	4554
Applicant	:	Noriyuki Honda et al.		
Filed	:	February 16, 2006		
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Examiner	:	David B. Jones		
Title	:	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR MACHINING FLANGE PART OF WHEEL ARCH		
Docket No.	:	TOH-16521		
Customer No.	:	040854		

AMENDMENT "D"

(In response to Paper No./Mail Date 20090130)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated February 3, 2009. Since May 3, 2009 falls on a Sunday the three month period for responding to the Office action expires on May 4, 2009. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 8 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.